

## Hampton Police Division Media Release

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## **For Immediate Release**

September 4, 2014

Suspect Indicted in Homicide Investigation: 300 block of Greenbriar Avenue

The Hampton Police Division has served homicide indictments on **Kenard M. Collins** in connection with the homicide that occurred on October 18, 2013.

At 12:05 a.m., Hampton Communications received an E-911 call in reference to a shooting in the 300 block of Greenbriar Avenue. Upon officer's arrival, they located **Michelle Williams**, a 29-year-old Hampton woman, in the front yard of a residence who had suffered from gunshot wounds to the upper torso. Members of the Hampton Fire and Rescue Division responded to the scene and pronounced the victim deceased.

On September 3, 2014, the Hampton Police Division served indictments on **Kenard M. Collins**, a 28-year-old Hampton man, who resides in the 1500 block of Big Bethel Road. He was arrested and charged with one count of Murder, one count of Use of Firearm in the Commission of a Felony and one count of Possession of a Firearm by a Convicted Felon. He is currently incarcerated at the Peninsula Regional Jail on unrelated charged.

The investigation revealed that the victim had previously been at the residence earlier in the evening visiting an acquaintance. Without the homeowner's knowledge, the victim returned and proceeded to get into a verbal altercation with the suspect, who was known to her. The suspect allegedly displayed a firearm and discharged it; which resulted in the victim being shot.



**ARRESTED** 

Corporal Mary Shackelford will receive questions about this release at 757-727-6608.

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